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CONTRACTING PARTIES

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1. FOR FURTHER DISCUSSIONS OF OCEAN DUMPING CONVENTION WITH HMG, LISTED BELOW ARE IMPORTANT ITEMS WHICH USG BELIEVES SHOULD BE INCLUDED IN AGENDA FOR FIRST CONSULTATIVE MEETING TO BE HELD IN 1976.

----- (A) APPLICABILITY OF ARTICLE III 1.(B)II TO INTERALIA R AND D AND SCIENTIFIC APPLICATION.

----- (B) PROCEDURES FOR EXCEPTIONAL OR EMERGENCY SITUATIONS (REFERRED TO IN ARTICLES V AND XIV(4)(E) OF CONVENTION).

----- (C) FORM AND FREQUENCY OF REPORTING TO SECRETARIAT BY NATIONAL PERMIT ISSUING AUTHORITIES (ARTICLE VI(4)).

----- (D) CLARIFICATION OF CONTRAVENTION OF CONVENTION (UNDER ARTICLE VII 2).

----- (E) PROCEDURES FOR REPORTING CONTRAVENTIONS OF CONVENTION (ARTICLE VII(3)).

----- (F) LIABILITY AND DISPUTE SETTLEMENT PROCEDURES REGARDING DUMPING (ARTICLE X).

----- (G) PROCEDURES FOR SETTLEMENT DISPUTES CONCERNING CONVENTION (ARTICLE XI).

----- (H) SELECTION AND STRUCTURING OF APPROPRIATE SCIENTIFIC SUPPORT FOR CONVENTION (ARTICLE XIV(4)(B)).

----- (I) APPLICATION OF CONVENTION TO OCEAN INCINERATION.

2. AS INDICATED REFTL, WE BELIEVE TIMING AND AGENDA OF FIRST CONSULTATIVE MEETING SHOULD BE CONSIDERED AT INITIAL MEETING OF CONTRACTING PARTIES IN DECEMBER SO THAT PREPARATORY WORK NECESSARY FOR SUCCESSFUL FIRST CONSULTATIVE MEETING CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED. WE WOULD UNCLASSIFIED

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PARTICULARLY WELCOME HMG VIEWS ON AGENDA. AS WE ALSO PLAN CONSULTATIONS WITH OTHER PARTIES, WE WOULD APPRECIATE EARLY RESPONSE TO THIS MESSAGE AND REFTL. KISSINGER

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